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**Re: U.S. Patent Application No. 09/910,662**  
**Title: Method & Apparatus for Asynchronous Mirroring**  
**Using TCP/IP Internet Protocol**  
**Filing Date: July 20, 2001**  
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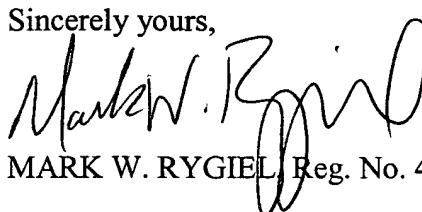
Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office in connection with the above-referenced U.S. patent application are the following documents:

- (1) Request for Three-Month Extension of time in duplicate (2 pages);
- (2) Amendment & Response (15 pages);
- (3) Letter to Chief Draftsperson (1 page); and
- (4) Corrected Figure 2 (1 page)

Please date-stamp the enclosed copy of this letter, thereby acknowledging receipt of the above-identified documents.

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